

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
WESTERN DIVISION**

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION,)	
)	
and)	
)	
STATE OF MISSOURI,)	
)	Case No. 4:18-CV-00128-DGK
Plaintiffs,)	
)	
v.)	
)	
NEXT-GEN, INC., et al.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

**ORDER GRANTING RECEIVER’S AMENDED MOTIONS FOR FEES AND
EXPENSES INCURRED FROM SEPTEMBER THROUGH DECEMBER OF 2019**

Now before the Court are the sixth and seventh applications (Docs. 329, 335) by Eric Johnson, Receiver/Trustee, for compensation of the Receiver/Trustee and his retained professional and reimbursement of expenses for the period September 1, 2019, through December 31, 2019. These applications have been amended by the Receiver/Trustee’s supplemental suggestions (Doc. 347). As amended,¹ the sixth and seventh fee applications seek payment of \$80,014.55 and \$53,916.38 respectively for professional fees and expenses.

After carefully considering the work performed, the motions are GRANTED AS AMENDED.

It is ORDERED that the Receiver/Trustee may pay the following amounts from receivership assets:

- (1) \$80,014.55 for the Receiver/Trustee and his retained professionals for payment of fees and expenses incurred from September 1, 2019, through October 31, 2019; and

¹ In the supplemental suggestions, the Receiver/Trustee eliminates billing charges associated with reviewing invoices and preparing fee applications. He also reduces the fees sought by RubinBrown in the seventh application by \$425.00.

(2) \$53,916.38 for the Receiver/Trustee and his retained professionals for payment of fees and expenses incurred from November 1, 2019, through December 31, 2019.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Receiver/Trustee is authorized to transfer funds to the Receiver/Trustee's disbursement account to cover these payments.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: March 17, 2020

/s/ Greg Kays
GREG KAYS, JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT